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Intercensal Estimates and Decennial Census Counts for Virginia Localities, 1790-1980

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This publication contains a complete set of intercensal estimates from 1961-1969 and 1971-1979, as well as decennial census counts from 1790 (the first Federal census) through 1980. Table 1 contains a set of revised intercensal estimates for 1971-1979, the 1970 census counts adjusted for annexations, and 1980 decennial census counts. Table 2 contains revised intercensal estimates for 1961-1969, 1960 census counts adjusted for annexations, and 1970 decennial census counts. Table 3 contains decennial population counts for 1790 to 1960 in terms of the set of localities in existence in 1980.

The primary purpose of this publication is to bring together in one place the historic census data and intercensal estimates, as well as to present the revised 1971-1979 intercensal estimates. Aside from its potential use as a reference tool, the data in this report may be used to calculate growth rates over long time periods. For example, it is possible to trace the growth of many localities over the 190 year period from 1790 to 1980.

The revised intercensal estimates presented in Table 1 were based on an unpublished tabulation titled "Preliminary Estimates of the Intercensal Population of Counties in Virginia" by the U.S. Bureau of the Census. Two types of corrections were made to these preliminary intercensal estimates. First, corrections were made to several of the 1980 decennial census population counts to reflect official Census corrections. Second, for areas that had special censuses during the decade, the results of these censuses were explicitly taken into account. The methodology employed in preparing the 1971-1979 intercensal estimates allocates the error between the 1980 population estimate and the 1980 decennial census count back through the entire time series of estimates for the locality. The formula used to make these allocations is described in Appendix I.

The county-level estimates were rounded to the nearest hundred, while the state-level estimates were independently rounded to the nearest thousand. Thus the sum of the county and city estimates may not add to exactly the state estimate.

The intercensal estimates presented in Table 2 were originally published by the Bureau of Population and Economic Research (the antecedent organization to the Tayloe Murphy Institute) in 1971 in Selected Population Characteristics of Virginia 1970. These intercensal estimates were derived by first calculating

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the decennial rate of civilian net migration for each locality and then allocating this total equally on an annual basis. This estimate of annual civilian net migration was then combined with the recorded number of births and deaths, as well as changes in the level of military population, to produce each years revised intercensal estimate. This set of intercensal estimates was rounded in the same fashion as those in the first table.

Table 3 presents data from each decennial census from 1790 to 1960 for each Virginia locality in existence in 1980. No attempt has been made to correct these figures for the numerous annexations that occured during this period, or for other types of boundary changes. However, we have attempted to trace and list the population of each independent city prior to its date of incorporation. In all cases where the population of an independent city is listed prior to its date of incorporation, that population has been removed from the population of the affected county.

For those readers interested in calculating annual growth rates Appendix II presents the appropriate formula, an example using this formula, and a table containing annual growth rates for each locality, from that localities earliest census through 1980.

Table 1.
Revised Intercensal Estimates for Virginia Localities, 1971-1979

		April 1 1980	July 1 1979	July 1 1978	July 1 1977	July 1 1976
	STATE OF VIRGINIA	5,346,797	5,325,000	5,284,000	5,206,000	5,133,000
1.	Accomack County	31,268	31,500	31,300	30,900	30,900
2.	Albemarle County	55,783	55,100	53,300	52,000	50,700
3.	Alleghany County	14,333	14,600	14,300	13,800	13,600
4.	Amelia County	8,405	8,400	8,400	8,500	8,500
5.	Amherst County	29,122	28,900	28,300	27,700	27,800
6.	Appomattox County	11,971	12,200	11,800	11,600	11,400
7.	Arlington County	152,599	154,200	154,800	156,800	158,900
8.	Augusta County	53,732	52,900	52,200	51,800	51,000
9.	Bath County	5,860	5,600	5,500	5,100	5,200
10.	Bedford County (2)	34,927	34,300	33,100	31,500	30,200
11.	Bland County	6,349	6,400	6,300	6,100	5,700
12.	Botetourt County	23,270	23,000	22,600	22,100	21,600
13.	Brunswick County	15,632	16,100	16,000	15,900	16,000
14.	Buchanan County	37,989	38,300	38,500	38,600	37,700
15.	Buckingham County	11,751	11,700	11,500	11,200	11,200
16.	Campbell County (2)	45,424	45,300	45,000	44,100	42,500
17.	Caroline County	17,904	18,400	18,000	17,600	17,000
18.	Carroll County	27,270	27,200	27,000	26,600	26,200
19.	Charles City County	6,692	6,700	6,800	6,600	6,500
20.	Charlotte County	12,266	12,400	12,700	12,500	12,500
21.	Chesterfield County	141,372	135,700	128,000	121,900	114,800
22.	Clarke County	9,965	10,000	9,800	9,500	9,300
23.	Craig County	3,948	3,800	3,800	3,700	3,700
24.	Culpeper County	22,620	22,900	22,700	21,900	21,500
25.	Cumberland County	7,881	7,600	7,600	7,500	7,300
26.	Dickenson County	19,806	20,200	19,700	19,600	18,900
27.	Dinwiddie County (3)	22,602	22,100	22,200	21,800	20,800
28.	Essex County	8,864	9,100	9,100	9,000	8,700
29.	Fairfax County	595,808	581,100	567,000	549,200	541,700
30.	Fauquier County	35,889	35,200	34,300	32,700	31,500
31.	Floyd County	11,563	11,500	11,500	11,100	10,800
32.	Fluvanna County	10,244	10,100	10,000	9,700	9,700
33.	Franklin County	35,740	35,900	35,000	34,400	33,200
34.	Frederick County (4)	34,150	33,600	32,500	31,100	29,600
35.	Giles County	17,810	18,100	18,000	17,700	17,600
36.	Gloucester County	20,107	19,800	19,000	18,200	17,700
37.	Goochland County	11,761	11,800	11,600	11,400	11,200
38.	Grayson County	16,579	16,200	16,400	16,200	15,900
39.	Greene County	7,625	7,400	7,200	6,800	6,700
40.	Greensville County	10,903	10,700	10,700	10,600	10,400
41.	Halifax County	30,599	30,800	30,800	30,600	30,800
42.	Hanover County	50,398	51,100	50,800	49,200	47,600
43.	Henrico County	180,735	177,900	174,100	171,700	172,200
44.	Henry County	57,654	58,000	57,400	56,600	55,700
45.	Highland County	2,937	2,700	2,500	2,400	2,300
46.	Isle of Wight County	21,603	21,900	21,700	21,000	20,900
47.	James City County	22,763	21,700	21,600	21,400	21,300
48.	King & Queen County	5,968	6,100	6,100	6,200	6,100
49.	King George County	10,543	10,200	9,900	9,700	9,500
50.	King William County	9,334	9,100	8,900	8,600	8,300
51.	Lancaster County	10,129	10,400	10,400	9,900	9,800
52.	Lee County	25,956	26,000	25,700	25,500	25,200
53.	Loudoun County	57,427	56,400	55,700	54,000	52,300
54.	Louisa County	17,825	18,200	18,200	18,000	17,400
55.	Lunenburg County	12,124	12,200	12,200	12,100	12,300

July 1 1975	July 1 1974	July 1 1973	July 1 1972	July 1 1971	April 1 1970 (1)	
5,056,000	4,978,000	4,907,000	4,828,000	4,753,000	4,651,448	
30,900	30,600	29,600	28,700	28,600	29,004	1
49,300	45,700	43,500	42,000	38,500	37,780	2
12,600	12,500	13,400	13,200	13,400	12,461	3
8,400	8,200	8,000	7,900	7,700	7,592	4
27,600	27,300	27,500	27,600	26,800	26,072	5
11,200	10,700	10,300	10,400	10,000	9,784	6
157,000	157,000	164,500	173,100	174,600	174,284	7
50,300	48,300	48,000	47,300	46,500	44,220	8
5,400	4,900	5,300	5,300	5,300	5,192	9
29,900	29,600	28,800	27,700	27,900	25,242	10
5,600	5,600	5,600	5,600	5,700	5,423	11
21,100	20,400	19,800	19,300	18,600	18,193	12
16,100	16,000	16,100	16,200	16,200	16,172	13
35,900	35,000	34,800	34,200	33,700	32,071	14
11,200	11,000	10,800	10,700	10,800	10,597	15
41,800	49,800	48,600	47,600	44,900	34,248	16
16,600	15,900	15,200	15,000	14,500	13,925	17
26,000	25,100	24,700	24,100	23,500	23,092	18
6,500	6,700	6,600	6,300	6,400	6,158	19
12,600	12,300	12,300	12,600	12,800	12,366	20
107,200	99,800	93,300	87,200	82,600	77,045	21
9,100	9,000	8,800	8,700	8,500	8,102	22
3,600	3,600	3,600	3,600	3,500	3,524	23
21,000	20,500	19,700	19,200	18,900	18,218	24
7,300	7,100	6,900	6,400	6,300	6,179	25
17,900	17,800	17,600	17,300	16,600	16,077	26
20,400	20,800	22,400	22,400	25,400	21,668	27
8,500	8,300	7,800	7,600	7,400	7,099	28
524,400	514,700	508,900	497,600	465,000	454,275	29
30,400	30,000	28,400	28,100	27,600	26,375	30
10,700	10,400	10,200	10,200	10,000	9,775	31
8,900	8,500	8,400	8,000	8,000	7,621	32
32,500	31,300	30,500	30,300	29,400	28,163	33
29,600	28,300	27,800	26,500	26,000	24,107	34
17,300	16,900	16,900	16,800	16,900	16,741	35
17,500	17,200	16,400	15,300	14,700	14,059	36
11,200	10,800	10,400	10,200	10,100	10,069	37
15,800	16,000	16,300	16,000	16,400	15,439	38
6,300	5,900	5,600	5,400	5,500	5,248	39
10,300	10,200	9,800	9,800	9,700	9,604	40
30,900	30,600	30,100	30,500	30,300	30,076	41
46,300	44,000	43,500	41,800	39,400	37,479	42
169,200	165,900	163,300	162,100	159,000	154,364	43
55,600	55,300	54,200	53,200	52,400	50,901	44
2,400	2,400	2,500	2,500	2,600	2,529	45
20,300	20,000	19,800	19,500	19,300	18,285	46
19,300	19,400	19,200	19,700	18,600	17,853	47
5,900	5,800	5,700	5,500	5,500	5,491	48
9,200	8,900	8,700	8,400	8,300	8,039	49
8,300	8,200	7,900	7,700	7,400	7,497	50
9,800	9,500	9,400	9,200	9,000	9,126	51
24,000	23,100	22,400	22,200	21,900	20,321	52
50,300	47,500	43,800	40,500	38,500	37,150	53
16,800	16,600	15,900	15,500	15,300	14,004	54
12,200	12,100	11,900	12,000	11,600	11,687	55

Table 1. (continued)

	April 1 1980	July 1 1979	July 1 1978	July 1 1977	July 1 1976
56. Madison County	10,232	10,300	10,300	10,000	10,00
57. Mathews County	7,995	8,100	8,300	8,200	8,20
58. Mecklenburg County	29,444	30,100	30,300	30,000	29,80
59. Middlesex County	7,719	7,500	7,300	7,400	7,00
60. Montgomery County (5)	63,244	62,700	61,600	60,500	59,10
61. Nelson County	12,204	12,500	12,400	12,200	12,20
62. New Kent County	8,781	8,400	8,300	7,700	7,50
63. Northampton County	14,625	15,100	15,400	15,200	15,30
64. Northumberland County	9,828	9,800	9,900	9,900	9,80
65. Nottoway County	14,666	14,700	14,800	15,000	14,50
66. Orange County	18,063	18,000	17,600	17,600	17,10
67. Page County	19,401	19,400	19,500	19,200	19,00
68. Patrick County	17,647	17,700	17,600	17,400	16,90
69. Pittsylvania County	66,147	66,500	65,800	65,300	65,20
70. Powhatan County	13,062	12,900	12,700	11,800	10,90
71. Prince Edward County	16,456	16,500	16,500	16,800	16,60
72. Prince George County (3)	25,733	25,800	25,400	25,500	23,10
73. Prince William County	144,703	142,900	140,700	134,200	130,00
74. Pulaski County	35,229	36,000	35,800	35,000	34,60
75. Rappahannock County	6,093	6,100	5,900	5,800	5,60
76. Richmond County	6,952	6,900	6,900	6,800	6,60
77. Roanoke County (6)	72,945	72,800	71,400	72,000	67,70
78. Rockbridge County	17,911	17,900	17,800	17,600	17,50
79. Rockingham County	57,038	57,400	57,400	56,100	55,60
80. Russell County	31,761	31,400	30,700	29,700	28,90
81. Scott County	25,068	25,300	25,200	25,200	25,10
82. Shenandoah County	27,559	27,400	27,100	26,600	25,90
83. Smyth County	33,345	33,800	33,900	33,600	33,30
84. Southampton County	18,731	18,600	19,100	18,700	18,50
85. Spotsylvania County	34,435	33,300	31,500	28,700	25,50
86. Stafford County	40,470	39,300	37,700	35,000	32,90
87. Surry County	6,046	6,000	6,100	6,100	6,30
88. Sussex County	10,874	11,000	11,100	11,300	11,40
89. Tazewell County	50,511	50,800	50,500	49,600	48,00
90. Warren County	21,200	21,100	21,100	20,400	19,70
91. Washington County (7)	46,487	45,700	45,100	43,800	42,90
92. Westmoreland County	14,041	13,900	13,900	13,700	13,40
93. Wise County	43,863	43,900	44,400	43,700	43,10
94. Wythe County	25,522	25,300	25,300	24,500	24,40
95. York County	35,463	34,700	33,900	32,900	31,20
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96. Alexandria City	103,217	102,700	105,700	106,300	107,30
97. Bedford City	5,991	5,900	6,000	5,900	6,50
98. Bristol City (7)	19,042	19,200	19,300	19,500	19,30
99. Buena Vista City	6,717	6,900	6,700	6,700	6,70
100. Charlottesville City	39,916	40,100	40,500	41,100	41,70
101. Chesapeake City	114,486	114,500	114,000	112,200	108,80
102. Clifton Forge City	5,046	5,200	5,200	5,200	5,30
103. Colonial Heights City	16,509	16,800	17,200	16,900	17,00
104. Covington City	9,063	9,100	9,200	9,100	9,20
105. Danville City	45,642	45,900	45,900	45,800	45,40
106. Emporia City	4,840	4,900	4,900	4,800	5,00
107. Fairfax City	20,483	18,500	18,900	19,400	20,20
108. Falls Church City	9,515	9,200	9,200	9,200	9,40
109. Franklin City	7,308	7,400	7,400	7,100	7,10
110. Fredericksburg City	15,322	16,000	16,100	16,200	16,10

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July 1 1975	July 1 1974	July 1 1973	July 1 1972	July 1 1971	April 1 1970	
10,000	9,900	9,700	9,200	8,900	8,638	56
8,100	8,000	7,900	7,900	7,500	7,168	57
29,900	30,200	30,400	30,000	30,300	29,426	58
7,000	6,700	6,600	6,600	6,200	6,295	59
58,400	57,000	54,000	51,300	48,500	46,813	60
12,100	11,900	11,800	11,700	11,400	11,702	61
7,300	7,000	6,500	6,000	5,400	5,300	62
15,100	14,900	15,100	15,100	14,700	14,442	63
9,700	9,400	9,400	9,200	9,700	9,239	64
14,500	14,400	14,500	14,500	14,600	14,260	65
16,300	16,100	15,500	15,000	14,700	13,792	66
18,700	18,400	17,800	17,600	17,100	16,581	67
17,000	16,700	16,400	16,200	16,000	15,282	68
164,000	62,000	61,500	60,700	59,800	58,782	69
10,300	10,000	9,500	9,300	8,200	7,696	70
16,200	16,100	15,500	15,700	14,900	14,379	71
20,300	19,600	20,700	21,500	28,500	24,371	72
127,900	123,000	116,900	107,400	101,000	93,500	73
34,100	33,300	32,100	30,600	30,600	29,564	74
5,600	5,400	5,200	5,300	5,200	5,199	75
6,600	6,300	6,400	6,300	6,600	6,504	76
65,700	80,800	79,000	75,300	71,100	53,817	77
17,400	17,100	17,100	17,000	16,900	16,637	78
54,600	53,900	52,800	52,600	50,200	47,890	79
27,200	26,500	26,500	25,600	25,200	24,533	80
24,900	24,900	24,900	25,100	24,900	24,376	81
26,000	24,800	24,500	24,300	23,800	22,852	82
32,900	33,100	32,700	32,300	32,300	31,349	83
18,100	18,300	18,400	18,600	18,500	18,582	84
23,700	21,700	19,600	18,800	17,900	16,424	85
31,100	29,800	28,100	26,700	25,600	24,587	86
6,300	5,800	5,700	5,800	5,700	5,882	87
11,400	11,300	11,500	11,500	11,500	11,464	88
45,900	44,600	43,500	42,800	41,900	39,816	89
19,200	18,600	17,600	17,000	16,300	15,301	90
42,100	40,700	45,200	44,700	43,100	36,033	91
13,400	13,300	13,300	12,900	12,900	12,142	92
40,900	39,700	38,900	37,900	37,200	35,947	93
24,000	23,800	23,200	22,600	22,900	22,139	94
30,000	30,100	30,200	29,700	28,800	27,762	95
108,200	108,600	109,900	108,200	110,400	110,927	96
6,200	6,100	5,900	5,900	6,100	6,011	97
19,400	19,700	14,800	14,600	14,700	19,659	98
6,700	7,000	6,700	6,600	6,100	6,425	99
42,200	41,900	41,500	40,200	39,200	38,880	100
105,200	102,500	98,100	94,400	91,900	89,580	101
5,300	5,300	5,500	5,700	5,700	5,501	102
17,100	16,900	16,800	16,700	15,800	15,097	103
9,500	9,600	9,800	9,900	10,000	10,060	104
47,000	47,400	47,800	47,900	47,300	46,398	105
5,300	5,000	5,300	5,300	5,300	5,300	106
20,800	20,900	19,700	21,400	21,700	22,727	107
9,900	10,500	10,300	10,500	10,700	10,772	108
7,300	7,000	7,000	6,700	6,800	6,880	109
16,200	16,200	15,900	15,000	14,700	14,450	110

Table 1. (continued)

		April 1 1980	July 1 1979	July 1 1978	July 1 1977	July 1 1976
111.	Galax City	6,524	6,400	6,500	6,500	6,500
112.	Hampton City	122,617	124,200	126,000	127,400	127,100
113.	Harrisonburg City	19,671	19,500	19,300	19,200	18,600
114.	Hopewell City	23,397	23,600	24,100	23,900	24,000
115.	Lexington City	7,292	7,400	7,500	7,500	7,000
116.	Lynchburg City (2)	66,743	67,300	67,200	66,200	67,100
117.	Manassas City	15,438	14,500	13,900	13,600	12,600
118.	Manassas Park City	6,524	6,700	6,800	6,900	7,000
119.	Martinsville City	18,149	19,000	18,800	18,600	19,200
120.	Newport News City	144,903	147,900	149,400	148,000	145,800
121.	Norfolk City	266,979	269,400	277,400	281,700	282,200
122.	Norton City	4,757	4,700	4,600	4,600	4,600
123.	Petersburg City (3)	41,055	42,600	43,200	43,600	45,700
124.	Poquoson City	8,726	8,300	8,100	7,600	7,000
125.	Portsmouth City	104,577	104,900	106,200	106,500	106,900
126.	Radford City (5)	13,497	13,200	13,200	13,000	12,400
127.	Richmond City	219,214	219,500	219,800	223,500	226,200
128.	Roanoke City (6)	100,220	102,000	103,200	101,800	105,400
129.	Salem City	23,958	24,400	24,300	25,000	24,000
130.	South Boston City	7,093	7,100	7,200	7,300	6,800
131.	Staunton City	21,857	22,100	22,300	22,500	22,800
132.	Suffolk City (8)	47,621	49,300	51,600	48,700	48,000
133.	Virginia Beach City	262,199	254,500	244,300	236,400	224,500
134.	Waynesboro City	15,329	15,900	16,300	16,300	16,500
135.	Williamsburg City	9,870	10,600	10,400	10,300	10,600
136.	Winchester City (4)	20,217	20,900	21,000	20,800	20,900

Note: For 1971-1979, county and city estimates rounded to the nearest hundred, state estimates rounded to the nearest thousand. County and city totals may not equal state total due to rounding.

(1) Some 1970 numbers adjusted for annexations occuring after 1970.

(2) Lynchburg City annexed 1,486 persons from Bedford County and 9,071 from Campbell County, for a total of 10,557 persons, effective January 1, 1976.

(3) Petersburg City annexed 4,629 persons from Prince George County and 3,392 persons from Dinwiddie County, for a total of 8,021 persons, effective January 1, 1972.

(4) Winchester City annexed 4,786 persons from Frederick County, effective December 31, 1970.

(5) Radford City annexed 329 persons from Montgomery County, effective January 1, 1977.

(6) Roanoke City annexed 13,522 persons from Roanoke County, effective January 1, 1976.

(7) Bristol City annexed 5,267 persons from Washington County, effective January 1, 1974.

(8) Nansemond and Suffolk cities consolidated on January 1, 1974. All estimates reflect this change.

July 1 1975	July 1 1974	July 1 1973	July 1 1972	July 1 1971	April 1 1970 (1)	
6,600	6,600	6,300	6,100	6,100	6,278	111
129,000	129,000	128,300	127,800	121,500	120,779	112
18,900	17,800	16,500	15,700	15,000	14,605	113
23,700	23,700	23,800	24,100	24,300	23,471	114
7,500	7,200	7,300	7,400	7,600	7,597	115
67,600	54,900	55,500	55,600	55,800	64,640	116
12,800	12,000	11,200	11,100	11,200	10,758	117
7,900	7,900	7,700	7,300	7,100	6,844	118
19,200	19,200	19,500	19,500	19,500	19,653	119
142,500	141,000	139,800	138,600	140,000	138,177	120
285,200	288,700	288,000	286,300	302,300	307,951	121
4,500	4,300	4,300	4,600	4,300	4,172	122
46,300	45,200	43,900	44,700	36,000	44,202	123
6,700	6,200	6,200	6,000	5,700	5,441	124
106,900	108,600	110,600	108,000	111,600	110,963	125
12,200	11,800	11,600	12,200	12,100	11,940	126
227,700	232,800	236,100	235,100	245,300	249,431	127
105,900	92,800	92,800	92,500	93,700	105,637	128
24,600	22,600	22,600	22,700	22,100	21,982	129
6,800	6,900	7,000	7,000	7,000	6,889	130
22,900	23,500	23,300	24,000	24,500	24,504	131
49,000	48,900	48,300	47,900	46,200	45,024	132
218,000	210,600	198,700	188,700	180,400	172,106	133
16,900	17,100	16,800	17,300	16,800	16,707	134
10,000	10,200	9,700	9,700	9,700	9,069	135
20,100	20,400	18,900	19,200	19,900	19,429	136

Table 2.
Revised Intercensal Estimates for Virginia Localities, 1961-1969

		April 1 1970	July 1 1969	July 1 1968	July 1 1967	July 1 1966
	STATE OF VIRGINIA	4,651,448	4,614,000	4,558,000	4,508,000	4,456,000
1.	Accomack	29,004	29,300	29,700	30,000	30,400
2.	Albemarle	37,780	37,000	36,000	34,900	34,000
3.	Alleghany	12,461	12,500	12,500	12,500	12,500
4.	Amelia	7,592	7,700	7,700	7,800	7,900
5.	Amherst	26,072	26,000	25,900	25,600	25,500
6.	Appomattox	9,784	9,800	9,800	9,800	9,800
7.	Arlington	174,284	174,900	175,100	175,800	175,600
8.	Augusta	44,220	43,900	43,600	43,000	42,700
9.	Bath	5,192	5,200	5,300	5,300	5,400
10.	Bedford	26,728	26,700	26,800	26,800	26,900
11.	Bland	5,423	5,500	5,600	5,700	5,800
12.	Botetourt	18,193	18,200	18,200	18,100	18,100
13.	Brunswick	16,172	16,400	16,700	16,900	17,200
14.	Buchanan	32,071	32,600	33,300	33,900	34,700
15.	Buckingham	10,597	10,700	10,800	10,900	11,000
16.	Campbell	43,319	42,700	41,900	40,900	40,200
17.	Caroline	13,925	13,900	14,000	13,900	13,900
18.	Carroll	23,092	23,200	23,400	23,400	23,600
19.	Charles City	6,158	6,100	6,100	6,100	6,100
20.	Charlotte	12,366	12,500	12,700	12,900	13,100
21.	Chesterfield	77,045	74,300	70,800	67,100	64,000
22.	Clarke	8,102	8,100	8,200	8,200	8,300
23.	Craig	3,524	3,500	3,500	3,500	3,600
24.	Culpeper	18,218	18,100	17,900	17,600	17,400
25.	Cumberland	6,179	6,200	6,300	6,300	6,400
26.	Dickenson	16,077	16,400	17,000	17,400	18,000
27.	Dinwiddie	25,046	25,000	24,900	24,600	24,600
28.	Essex	7,099	7,100	7,100	7,100	7,100
29.	Fairfax	454,275	438,400	416,100	395,000	374,800
30.	Fauquier	26,375	26,600	26,700	26,800	26,400
31.	Floyd	9,775	9,900	10,000	10,100	10,300
32.	Fluvanna	7,621	7,600	7,700	7,700	7,700
33.	Franklin	28,163	28,200	28,200	28,000	28,100
34.	Frederick	28,893	28,500	27,900	27,300	26,800
35.	Giles	16,741	16,900	17,100	17,200	17,400
36.	Gloucester	14,059	14,000	13,900	13,700	13,600
37.	Goochland	10,069	10,100	10,100	10,000	10,000
38.	Grayson	15,439	15,600	15,900	16,000	16,300
39.	Greene	5,248	5,200	5,200	5,200	5,200
40.	Greensville	9,604	9,700	9,900	10,000	10,200
41.	Halifax	30,076	30,400	31,000	31,400	31,900
42.	Hanover	37,479	36,800	36,000	35,100	34,300
43.	Henrico	154,463	152,300	149,400	145,800	143,200
44.	Henry	50,901	50,300	49,600	48,600	47,900
45.	Highland	2,529	2,600	2,700	2,800	2,800
46.	Isle of Wight	18,285	18,300	18,300	18,300	18,300
47.	James City	17,853	17,200	16,400	15,600	14,900
48.	King & Queen	5,491	5,600	5,600	5,700	5,800
49.	King George	8,039	8,000	8,000	8,000	8,000
50.	King William	7,497	7,500	7,600	7,700	7,700
51.	Lancaster	9,126	9,200	9,300	9,300	9,400
52.	Lee	20,321	20,800	21,500	22,100	22,800
53.	Loudoun	37,150	36,200	35,000	33,700	32,700
54.	Louisa	14,004	14,000	14,000	14,000	14,000
55.	Lunenburg	11,687	11,800	12,000	12,100	12,300

July 1 1965	July 1 1964	July 1 1963	July 1 1962	July 1 1961	April 1 1960 (1)	
4,411,000	4,357,000	4,276,000	4,180,000	4,095,000	3,954,400	
30,800	31,000	31,100	31,000	31,000	30,600	1
33,100	32,000	30,800	29,400	28,200	26,600	2
12,500	12,400	12,300	12,100	12,000	11,700	3
8,000	8,000	8,000	7,900	7,900	7,800	4
25,400	25,100	24,700	24,200	23,700	23,000	5
9,800	9,800	9,700	9,500	9,400	9,100	6
174,600	174,700	172,700	170,700	168,400	163,400	7
42,300	41,600	40,800	39,700	38,800	37,400	8
5,400	5,500	5,500	5,400	5,400	5,300	9
26,900	26,700	26,500	26,100	25,800	25,100	10
5,900	5,900	6,000	6,000	6,000	6,000	11
18,100	18,000	17,800	17,400	17,200	16,700	12
17,500	17,700	17,800	17,800	17,900	17,800	13
35,400	35,900	36,300	36,400	36,700	36,700	14
11,100	11,200	11,200	11,100	11,000	10,900	15
39,400	38,400	37,200	35,900	34,700	33,000	16
13,800	13,700	13,600	13,300	13,100	12,700	17
23,700	23,700	23,600	23,400	23,200	22,700	18
6,000	6,000	5,900	5,800	5,700	5,500	19
13,300	13,400	13,500	13,500	13,500	13,400	20
61,000	57,700	54,400	50,900	47,900	43,900	21
8,300	8,300	8,300	8,200	8,100	7,900	22
3,600	3,600	3,500	3,500	3,400	3,400	23
17,200	16,900	16,600	16,100	15,700	15,100	24
6,500	6,500	6,500	6,500	6,400	6,400	25
18,600	19,000	19,400	19,600	20,000	20,200	26
24,500	24,200	23,800	23,300	22,900	22,200	27
7,100	7,100	7,000	6,900	6,800	6,700	28
353,300	334,500	313,800	293,800	274,800	248,900	29
26,100	26,000	25,700	25,300	25,000	24,100	30
10,500	10,500	10,600	10,500	10,600	10,500	31
7,700	7,700	7,600	7,500	7,400	7,200	32
28,000	27,800	27,500	27,000	26,600	25,900	33
26,200	25,500	24,800	23,900	23,100	21,900	34
17,600	17,600	17,600	17,500	17,500	17,200	35
13,500	13,200	13,000	12,600	12,400	11,900	36
10,000	9,900	9,800	9,600	9,500	9,200	37
16,500	16,600	16,700	16,700	16,700	16,500	38
5,200	5,100	5,000	4,900	4,900	4,700	39
10,400	10,500	10,600	10,600	10,700	10,600	40
32,500	32,800	33,000	33,000	33,100	32,900	41
33,500	32,500	31,500	30,200	29,100	27,600	42
140,400	136,700	132,700	127,800	123,600	117,300	43
47,200	46,200	45,000	43,500	42,300	40,300	44
2,900	3,000	3,100	3,100	3,200	3,200	45
18,400	18,300	18,100	17,800	17,600	17,200	46
14,300	13,600	12,800	12,000	11,300	10,400	47
5,900	5,900	5,900	5,900	5,900	5,900	48
7,900	7,900	7,800	7,600	7,500	7,200	49
7,800	7,800	7,800	7,700	7,700	7,600	50
9,500	9,500	9,500	9,400	9,300	9,200	51
23,600	24,200	24,700	25,000	25,500	25,800	52
31,600	30,300	29,000	27,600	26,300	24,500	53
14,000	13,900	13,700	13,500	13,300	13,000	54
12,500	12,600	12,700	12,600	12,600	12,500	55

Table 2. (continued)

	April 1 1970	July 1 1969	July 1 1968	July 1 1967	July 1 1966
56. Madison	8,638	8,700	8,700	8,700	8,700
57. Mathews	7,168	7,200	7,300	7,300	7,300
58. Mecklenburg	29,426	29,700	30,200	30,500	31,000
59. Middlesex	6,295	6,300	6,400	6,400	6,500
60. Montgomery	47,157	46,200	44,900	43,500	42,300
61. Nelson	11,702	11,800	12,100	12,200	12,400
62. New Kent	5,300	5,300	5,200	5,200	5,100
63. Northampton	14,442	14,600	15,100	15,400	15,800
64. Northumberland	9,239	9,400	9,500	9,700	9,800
65. Nottoway	14,260	14,400	14,700	14,800	15,000
66. Orange	13,792	13,800	13,800	13,800	13,800
67. Page	16,581	16,600	16,600	16,600	16,600
68. Patrick	15,282	15,400	15,500	15,600	15,700
69. Pittsylvania	58,789	59,100	59,600	59,700	60,200
70. Powhatan	7,696	7,700	7,600	7,600	7,500
71. Prince Edward	14,379	14,400	14,500	14,600	14,700
72. Prince George	29,092	30,400	31,900	31,400	25,500
73. Prince William	111,102	105,700	97,400	89,700	84,200
74. Pulaski	29,564	29,600	29,600	29,500	29,500
75. Rappahannock	5,199	5,200	5,300	5,300	5,400
76. Richmond	6,504	6,500	6,600	6,600	6,600
77. Roanoke	67,339	65,400	62,900	60,300	58,000
78. Rockbridge	16,637	16,700	16,900	16,900	17,000
79. Rockingham	47,890	47,500	47,000	46,300	45,800
80. Russell	24,533	24,800	25,200	25,500	25,900
81. Scott	24,376	24,600	25,000	25,200	25,600
82. Shenandoah	22,852	22,900	23,000	23,000	23,100
83. Smyth	31,349	31,500	31,700	31,800	32,100
84. Southampton	18,582	18,800	19,100	19,300	19,600
85. Spotsylvania	16,424	16,300	16,200	15,900	15,800
86. Stafford	24,587	24,100	23,300	22,500	21,900
87. Surry	5,882	5,900	6,000	6,100	6,200
88. Sussex	11,464	11,600	11,800	11,900	12,100
89. Tazewell	39,816	40,400	41,200	41,900	42,800
90. Warren	15,301	15,300	15,400	15,400	15,500
91. Washington	40,835	40,800	40,800	40,800	40,900
92. Westmoreland	12,142	12,100	12,100	12,000	12,000
93. Wise	35,947	36,700	37,700	38,600	39,700
94. Wythe	22,139	22,300	22,400	22,500	22,700
95. York	33,203	32,300	31,500	30,600	28,900
96. Alexandria	110,927	110,100	108,800	107,500	106,100
97. Bedford	6,011	6,000	6,100	6,100	6,100
98. Bristol	14,857	15,100	15,500	15,700	16,100
99. Buena Vista	6,425	6,400	6,500	6,500	6,600
100. Charlottesville	38,880	38,600	38,400	38,100	37,800
101. Chesapeake	89,580	87,500	85,600	83,500	81,900
102. Clifton Forge	5,501	5,600	5,600	5,700	5,700
103. Colonial Heights	15,097	14,800	14,400	13,800	13,100
104. Covington	10,060	10,200	10,400	10,500	10,700
105. Danville	46,391	46,700	47,100	47,300	47,700
106. Emporia	5,300	5,300	5,400	5,500	5,500
107. Fairfax	22,727	21,200	20,300	19,200	18,400
108. Falls Church	10,772	10,800	10,800	10,700	10,700
109. Franklin	6,880	6,900	7,000	7,100	7,200
110. Fredericksburg	14,450	14,500	14,500	14,500	14,500

July 1 1965	July 1 1964	July 1 1963	July 1 1962	July 1 1961	April 1 1960 (1)	
8,700	8,700	8,600	8,500	8,400	8,200	56
7,400	7,400	7,400	7,300	7,200	7,100	57
31,400	31,700	31,800	31,700	31,700	31,400	58
6,500	6,500	6,500	6,500	6,400	6,300	59
41,100	39,700	38,200	36,500	35,000	32,900	60
12,600	12,700	12,800	12,800	12,800	12,800	61
5,100	5,000	4,900	4,800	4,700	4,500	62
16,200	16,500	16,700	16,800	16,900	17,000	63
10,000	10,100	10,200	10,200	10,200	10,200	64
15,200	15,300	15,400	15,300	15,300	15,100	65
13,800	13,800	13,600	13,400	13,200	12,900	66
16,700	16,600	16,400	16,200	16,000	15,600	67
15,800	15,800	15,800	15,600	15,500	15,300	68
60,600	60,600	60,400	59,800	59,400	58,300	69
7,500	7,400	7,300	7,100	7,000	6,700	70
14,800	14,700	14,700	14,500	14,400	14,100	71
23,600	23,400	22,400	21,900	20,900	18,800	72
78,200	72,700	66,700	61,400	56,300	50,200	73
29,400	29,200	28,900	28,400	28,000	27,300	74
5,500	5,500	5,500	5,500	5,400	5,400	75
6,700	6,700	6,600	6,600	6,500	6,400	76
55,800	53,300	50,700	47,900	45,400	42,100	77
17,100	17,100	17,100	16,900	16,800	16,500	78
45,300	44,500	43,500	42,300	41,200	39,600	79
26,200	26,500	26,600	26,500	26,500	26,300	80
25,900	26,100	26,200	26,100	26,100	25,800	81
23,100	23,100	22,900	22,600	22,300	21,800	82
32,300	32,300	32,200	31,800	31,600	31,100	83
19,900	20,100	20,100	20,100	20,100	19,900	84
15,700	15,400	15,100	14,700	14,300	13,800	85
21,300	20,500	19,700	18,800	18,000	16,900	86
6,300	6,300	6,300	6,300	6,300	6,200	87
12,300	12,400	12,500	12,500	12,500	12,400	88
43,600	44,200	44,600	44,600	44,900	44,800	89
15,500	15,500	15,400	15,100	15,000	14,700	90
40,900	40,700	40,300	39,600	39,100	38,100	91
12,000	11,900	11,800	11,500	11,400	11,000	92
40,800	41,600	42,300	42,700	43,300	43,600	93
22,800	22,800	22,800	22,500	22,400	22,000	94
27,700	26,600	25,300	24,100	22,900	21,100	95
104,500	102,800	100,500	97,700	95,200	91,000	96
6,200	6,200	6,200	6,100	6,000	5,900	97
16,500	16,700	16,900	17,000	17,100	17,100	98
6,600	6,600	6,600	6,500	6,400	6,300	99
37,600	37,100	36,500	35,700	35,000	33,800	100
80,200	78,000	75,500	72,600	70,100	66,400	101
5,800	5,800	5,900	5,800	5,800	5,700	102
12,600	12,000	11,500	10,900	10,400	9,600	103
10,900	11,000	11,100	11,100	11,100	11,100	104
48,100	48,200	48,100	47,600	47,400	46,600	105
5,600	5,600	5,600	5,600	5,600	5,500	106
18,000	17,100	16,200	15,200	14,300	13,600	107
10,900	10,800	10,700	10,500	10,300	10,200	108
7,300	7,400	7,400	7,300	7,300	7,300	109
14,500	14,500	14,400	14,100	14,000	13,600	110

Table 2. (continued)

	April 1 1970	July 1 1969	July 1 1968	July 1 1967	July 1 1966
111. Galax	6,278	6,300	6,400	6,500	6,500
112. Hampton	120,779	118,900	117,600	115,900	111,200
113. Harrisonburg	14,605	14,500	14,500	14,400	14,300
114. Hopewell	23,471	23,400	23,300	23,000	22,500
115. Lexington	7,597	7,600	7,700	7,700	7,800
116. Lynchburg	54,083	54,400	55,000	55,300	55,800
117. Manassas (3)	9,164	---	---	---	---
118. Manassas Park (3)	6,844	---	---	---	---
119. Martinsville	19,653	19,700	19,800	19,800	19,900
120. Newport News	138,177	140,100	138,500	139,200	133,900
121. Norfolk	307,951	285,700	286,100	291,700	299,100
122. Norton	4,172	4,100	4,200	4,300	4,500
123. Petersburg	36,103	36,600	37,200	37,500	37,300
124. Poquoson (4)	5,441	---	---	---	---
125. Portsmouth	110,963	125,300	118,100	121,400	118,200
126. Radford	11,596	11,500	11,300	11,100	11,000
127. Richmond	249,332	251,000	253,000	253,600	255,700
128. Roanoke	92,115	93,000	94,500	95,300	96,700
129. Salem	21,982	21,900	21,900	21,700	21,600
130. South Boston	6,889	6,900	7,000	7,000	7,000
131. Staunton	24,504	24,500	24,400	24,300	24,300
132. Suffolk (2)	45,024	45,200	45,400	45,400	45,700
133. Virginia Beach	172,106	168,500	156,100	147,200	137,500
134. Waynesboro	16,707	16,700	16,800	16,800	16,800
135. Williamsburg	9,069	9,200	9,200	9,300	9,200
136. Winchester	14,643	14,800	14,900	15,000	15,200

Because of rounding, county and city totals may not equal the state total.
(1) Numbers adjusted for annexations occuring between 1960 and 1970.
(2) Data for Nansemond County combined with Suffolk City.
(3) Data for Manassas and Manassas Park have not been subtracted from Prince William County.
(4) Data for Poquoson has not been subtracted from York County.

July 1 1965	July 1 1964	July 1 1963	July 1 1962	July 1 1961	April 1 1960 (1)	
6,600	6,700	6,700	6,600	6,600	6,500	111
108,200	105,600	102,000	98,400	94,700	89,300	112
14,200	14,100	13,800	13,500	13,300	12,800	113
22,100	21,800	21,300	20,800	20,300	19,400	114
7,800	7,800	7,800	7,700	7,700	7,500	115
56,300	56,500	56,400	55,900	55,600	54,800	116
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---	---	---	---	---	5,300	118
19,900	19,900	19,700	19,400	19,200	18,800	119
130,100	128,900	126,000	123,300	120,200	113,700	120
304,200	308,800	307,500	308,300	306,600	304,900	121
4,600	4,700	4,800	4,900	5,000	5,000	122
37,600	37,800	37,700	37,500	37,400	36,800	123
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122,100	123,000	122,600	122,000	121,300	122,000	125
10,800	10,600	10,400	10,100	9,800	9,400	126
257,400	257,400	256,500	253,600	251,900	247,300	127
97,900	98,500	98,800	98,300	98,200	97,100	128
21,500	21,300	21,000	20,500	20,200	19,600	129
7,100	7,100	7,000	6,900	6,900	6,700	130
24,200	24,000	23,700	23,200	22,900	22,200	131
46,000	45,900	45,600	45,100	44,700	44,000	132
127,100	119,800	111,400	103,900	96,400	85,200	133
16,800	16,700	16,600	16,300	16,100	15,700	134
9,000	9,000	8,900	8,800	8,700	8,400	135
15,400	15,500	15,500	15,400	15,300	15,100	136

Table 3.
Decennial Census Population for Virginia Localities, Earliest Census to 1960

	1960	1950	1940	1930	1920	1910	1900	1890
Counties								
1. Accomack	30,635	33,832	33,030	35,854	34,795	36,650	32,570	27,277
2. Albemarle (1)	30,969	26,662	24,652	26,981	26,005	29,871	28,473	26,788
3. Alleghany (2,3)	12,128	7,279	16,388	13,650	9,699	9,939	9,801	6,787
4. Amelia (5)	7,815	7,908	8,495	8,979	9,800	8,720	9,037	9,068
5. Amherst	22,953	20,332	20,273	19,020	19,771	18,932	17,864	17,551
6. Appomattox	9,148	8,764	9,020	8,402	9,255	8,904	9,662	9,589
7. Arlington (6,7)	163,401	135,449	57,040	26,615	16,040	10,231	6,430	4,258
8. Augusta (9,10)	37,363	34,154	35,399	31,937	30,865	29,424	30,244	29,384
9. Bath	5,335	6,296	7,191	8,137	6,389	6,538	5,595	4,587
10. Bedford (11)	25,107	25,566	25,714	25,378	27,426	27,041	27,940	28,316
11. Bland	5,982	6,436	6,731	6,031	5,593	5,154	5,497	5,129
12. Botetourt	16,715	15,766	16,447	15,457	16,557	17,727	17,161	14,854
13. Brunswick	17,779	20,136	19,575	20,486	21,025	19,244	18,217	17,245
14. Buchanan	36,724	35,748	31,477	16,740	15,441	12,334	9,692	5,867
15. Buckingham	10,877	12,288	13,398	13,315	14,885	15,204	15,266	14,383
16. Campbell (12)	32,958	28,877	26,048	22,885	26,716	23,043	23,256	21,378
17. Caroline	12,725	12,471	13,945	15,263	15,954	16,596	16,709	16,681
18. Carroll (13)	23,178	24,092	24,514	21,190	20,920	20,994	19,303	15,497
19. Charles City	5,492	4,676	4,275	4,881	4,793	5,253	5,040	5,066
20. Charlotte	13,368	14,057	15,861	16,061	17,540	15,785	15,343	15,077
21. Chesterfield (14,15,16)	71,197	40,400	27,989	23,718	20,496	21,299	18,804	26,211
22. Clarke	7,942	7,074	7,159	7,167	7,165	7,468	7,927	8,071
23. Craig	3,356	3,452	3,769	3,562	4,100	4,711	4,293	3,835
24. Culpeper	15,088	13,242	13,365	13,306	13,292	13,472	14,123	13,233
25. Cumberland	6,360	7,252	7,505	7,535	9,111	9,195	8,996	9,482
26. Dickenson	20,211	23,393	21,266	16,163	13,542	9,199	7,747	5,077
27. Dinwiddie (16)	22,183	18,839	18,166	18,492	17,949	15,442	15,374	13,515
29. Essex	6,690	6,530	7,006	6,976	8,542	9,105	9,701	10,047
29. Fairfax (7,8)	261,417	96,611	37,374	23,155	20,057	19,176	17,318	15,863
30. Fauquier	24,066	21,248	21,039	21,071	21,869	22,526	23,374	22,590
31. Floyd	10,462	11,351	11,967	11,698	13,115	14,092	15,388	14,405
32. Fluvanna	7,227	7,121	7,088	7,466	8,547	8,323	9,050	9,508
33. Franklin	25,925	24,560	25,864	24,337	26,283	26,480	25,953	24,985
34. Frederick (23)	21,941	17,537	14,008	13,167	12,461	12,787	13,239	12,684
35. Giles	17,219	18,956	14,635	12,804	11,901	11,623	10,793	9,090
36. Gloucester	11,919	10,343	9,548	11,019	11,894	12,477	12,832	11,653
37. Goochland	9,206	8,934	8,454	7,953	8,863	9,237	9,519	9,958
38. Grayson (13)	17,390	18,734	20,111	18,424	18,929	19,223	16,853	14,394
39. Greene	4,715	4,745	5,218	5,980	6,369	6,937	6,214	5,622
40. Greensville (24)	10,620	10,655	12,131	11,244	9,737	9,872	8,731	7,142
41. Halifax (25)	33,637	35,385	36,019	36,442	37,036	36,528	35,346	32,635
42. Hanover	27,550	21,985	18,500	17,009	18,088	17,200	17,618	17,402
43. Henrico (26)	117,339	57,340	41,960	30,310	18,972	23,437	30,062	22,006
44. Henry (27)	40,335	31,219	26,481	20,088	16,163	15,091	16,881	18,208
45. Highland	3,221	4,069	4,875	4,525	4,931	5,317	5,647	5,352
46. Isle of Wight	17,164	14,906	13,381	13,409	14,433	14,929	13,102	11,313
47. James City (28)	11,539	6,317	4,907	3,879	3,676	3,624	3,688	3,812
48. King & Queen	5,889	6,299	6,954	7,618	9,161	9,576	9,265	9,669
49. King George	7,243	6,710	5,431	5,297	5,762	6,378	6,918	6,641
50. King William	7,563	7,589	7,855	7,929	8,739	8,547	8,380	9,605
51. Lancaster	9,174	8,640	8,786	8,896	9,757	9,752	8,949	7,191
52. Lee	25,824	36,106	39,296	30,419	25,293	23,840	19,856	18,216
53. Loudoun	24,549	21,147	20,291	19,852	20,577	21,167	21,948	23,274
54. Louisa	12,959	12,826	13,665	14,309	17,089	16,578	16,517	16,997
55. Lunenburg	12,523	14,116	13,844	14,058	15,260	12,780	11,705	11,372

1880	1870	1860	1850	1840	1830	1820	1810	1800	1790	
24,408	20,409	18,586	17,890	17,096	16,656	15,966	15,743	15,693	13,959	1
29,942	24,706	26,625	25,800	22,924	22,618	19,747	18,268	16,439	12,585	2
5,150	3,674	6,765	3,515	2,749	2,816	--	--	--	--	3
10,377	9,878	10,741	9,770	10,320	11,036	10,994	10,594	9,432	18,097	4
18,709	14,900	13,742	12,699	12,576	12,071	10,423	10,548	16,801	13,703	5
10,080	8,950	8,889	9,193	--	--	--	--	--	--	6
3,887	3,185	NA	1,274	1,508	1,332	1,485	1,325	978	--	7
28,562	23,107	23,417	24,610	19,628	19,926	16,742	14,308	11,712	10,886	8
4,482	3,795	3,676	3,426	4,300	4,002	5,231	4,837	5,508	--	9
29,014	24,119	24,346	24,080	20,203	20,246	19,305	16,148	14,125	10,531	10
5,004	4,000	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	11
14,809	11,329	11,516	14,908	11,679	16,354	13,589	13,301	10,427	10,524	12
16,707	13,427	14,809	13,894	14,346	15,767	16,687	15,411	16,339	12,827	13
5,694	3,777	2,793	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	14
15,540	13,371	15,212	13,837	18,786	18,351	17,569	20,059	13,389	9,779	15
20,291	21,559	19,344	15,174	14,635	15,720	16,569	11,001	9,866	7,685	16
17,243	15,128	18,464	18,456	17,813	17,760	17,982	17,544	17,438	17,489	17
13,323	9,147	8,012	5,909	--	--	--	--	--	--	18
5,512	4,975	5,609	5,200	4,774	5,500	5,255	5,186	5,365	5,588	19
16,653	14,513	14,471	13,955	14,595	15,252	13,290	13,161	11,912	10,078	20
23,773	18,470	19,016	17,489	17,148	18,637	18,003	9,979	14,488	14,214	21
7,682	6,670	7,146	7,352	6,353	--	--	--	--	--	22
3,794	2,942	3,553	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	23
13,408	12,227	12,063	12,282	11,393	24,027	20,942	18,967	18,100	22,105	24
10,540	8,142	9,961	9,751	10,399	11,690	11,023	9,992	9,839	8,153	25
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13,719	11,752	11,932	11,108	11,422	13,579	13,792	12,522	11,853	11,106	27
11,032	9,927	10,469	10,206	11,309	10,521	9,909	9,376	9,508	9,122	29
14,989	12,952	11,834	10,682	9,370	9,204	11,404	13,111	13,317	12,320	29
22,993	19,690	21,706	20,868	21,897	26,086	23,103	22,689	21,329	17,892	30
13,255	9,824	8,236	6,458	4,453	--	--	--	--	--	31
10,802	9,875	10,353	9,487	8,812	8,221	6,704	4,775	4,623	3,921	32
25,084	18,264	20,098	17,430	15,832	14,911	12,017	10,724	9,302	6,842	33
12,595	12,119	12,154	12,118	10,788	26,046	24,706	22,574	24,744	19,681	34
8,794	5,875	6,883	6,570	5,307	5,274	4,521	3,745	--	--	35
11,876	10,211	10,956	10,527	10,715	10,608	9,678	10,427	8,181	13,498	36
10,292	10,313	10,656	10,352	9,760	10,369	10,007	10,203	9,696	9,053	37
13,068	9,587	8,252	6,677	9,087	7,675	5,598	4,941	3,912	--	38
5,830	4,634	5,022	4,400	4,232	--	--	--	--	--	39
8,085	6,362	6,374	5,639	6,366	7,117	6,858	6,853	6,727	6,362	40
33,260	27,828	26,520	25,962	25,936	28,034	19,060	22,133	19,377	14,722	41
18,588	16,455	17,222	15,153	14,968	16,253	15,267	15,082	14,403	14,754	42
19,103	15,141	23,706	16,002	12,923	12,737	11,600	9,944	9,149	8,239	43
15,720	12,303	12,105	8,872	7,335	7,100	5,624	5,611	5,259	8,479	44
5,164	4,151	4,319	4,227	--	--	--	--	--	--	45
10,572	8,320	9,977	9,353	9,972	10,517	10,118	9,186	9,342	9,028	46
3,942	3,033	4,687	3,143	3,779	3,838	3,161	4,094	3,931	4,070	47
10,502	9,709	10,328	10,319	10,862	11,644	11,798	10,988	9,879	9,377	48
6,397	5,742	6,571	5,971	5,927	6,397	6,116	6,454	6,749	7,366	49
8,751	7,515	8,530	8,779	9,258	9,812	9,697	9,285	9,055	8,128	50
6,160	5,355	5,151	4,708	4,628	4,801	5,517	5,592	5,375	5,638	51
15,116	13,268	11,032	10,267	8,441	6,461	4,256	4,694	3,538	--	52
23,634	20,929	21,774	22,079	20,431	21,939	22,702	21,338	20,523	18,962	53
18,942	16,332	16,701	16,691	15,433	16,151	13,746	11,900	11,892	8,467	54
11,535	10,403	11,983	11,692	11,055	11,957	10,662	12,265	10,381	8,959	55

Table 3. (continued)

	1960	1950	1940	1930	1920	1910	1900	1890
56. Madison	8,187	8,273	8,465	8,952	9,595	10,055	10,216	10,225
57. Mathews	7,121	7,148	7,149	7,884	8,447	8,922	8,239	7,584
58. Mecklenburg	31,428	33,497	31,933	32,622	31,208	28,956	26,551	25,359
59. Middlesex	6,319	6,715	6,673	7,273	8,157	8,852	8,220	7,458
60. Montgomery (29)	32,923	29,780	21,206	19,605	18,595	17,268	15,852	15,682
61. Nelson	12,752	14,042	16,241	16,345	17,277	16,821	16,075	15,336
62. New Kent	4,504	3,995	4,092	4,300	4,541	4,682	4,865	5,511
63. Northampton	16,966	17,300	17,597	18,565	17,852	16,672	13,770	10,313
64. Northumberland	10,185	10,012	10,463	11,081	11,518	10,777	9,846	7,885
65. Nottoway (5)	15,141	15,479	15,556	14,866	14,161	13,462	12,366	11,582
66. Orange	12,900	12,75[illegible]	[illegible],649	12,070	13,320	13,486	12,571	12,814
67. Page	15,572	15,15[illegible]	14,863	14,852	14,770	14,147	13,794	13,092
68. Patrick	15,282	15,642	16,[illegible]13	15,787	16,850	17,195	15,403	14,147
69. Pittsylvania (30)	58,296	66,096	61,6[illegible]7	61,424	56,493	50,709	46,894	49,636
70. Powhatan	6,747	5,556	5,671	6,143	6,552	6,099	6,824	6,791
71. Prince Edward	14,121	15,398	14,922	14,520	14,767	14,266	15,045	14,694
72. Prince George (16)	20,270	19,679	12,226	10,311	12,915	7,848	7,752	7,872
73. Prince William (31)	41,267	20,808	16,436	12,736	12,355	10,809	10,295	9,275
74. Pulaski	27,258	27,758	22,767	20,566	17,111	17,246	14,609	12,790
75. Rappahannock	5,368	6,112	7,208	7,717	8,070	8,044	8,843	8,678
76. Richmond (17)	6,375	6,189	6,634	6,878	7,434	7,415	7,088	7,146
77. Roanoke (32,33)	45,635	34,663	37,160	30,456	18,236	15,774	12,425	10,663
78. Rockbridge (34,35)	16,502	17,383	18,470	17,150	17,756	18,240	18,596	18,959
79. Rockingham (36)	40,485	35,079	31,289	29,709	30,047	30,024	30,006	28,507
80. Russell	26,290	26,818	26,627	25,957	26,786	23,474	18,031	16,126
81. Scott	25,813	27,640	26,989	24,181	24,776	23,814	22,694	21,694
82. Shenandoah	21,825	21,169	20,898	20,655	20,808	20,942	20,253	19,671
83. Smyth	31,066	30,187	28,861	25,125	22,125	20,326	17,121	13,360
84. Southampton (37)	19,931	21,852	22,976	23,940	25,192	24,031	21,705	19,203
85. Spotsylvania (38)	13,819	11,920	9,905	10,056	10,571	9,935	9,239	9,705
86. Stafford	16,876	11,902	9,548	8,050	8,104	8,070	8,097	7,362
87. Surry	6,220	6,220	6,193	7,096	9,305	9,715	8,469	8,256
88. Sussex	12,411	12,785	12,485	12,100	12,834	13,664	12,082	11,100
89. Tazewell	44,791	47,512	41,607	32,477	27,840	24,946	23,384	19,899
90. Warren	14,655	14,801	11,352	8,340	8,852	8,589	8,837	8,280
91. Washington (39)	38,076	37,536	38,197	33,850	32,376	32,830	28,995	26,118
92. Westmoreland (17)	11,042	10,148	9,512	8,497	10,240	9,313	9,243	8,399
93. Wise (42)	43,579	52,021	48,452	48,090	43,432	32,296	18,999	9,345
94. Wythe	21,975	23,327	22,721	20,704	20,217	20,372	20,437	18,019
95. York	17,305	11,750	8,857	7,615	8,046	7,757	7,482	7,596
Cities								
96. Alexandria (6)	91,023	61,787	33,523	24,149	18,060	15,329	14,528	14,339
97. Bedford (11)	5,921	4,061	3,973	3,713	3,243	2,508	2,416	2,897
98. Bristol (39)	17,144	15,954	9,768	8,840	6,729	6,247	4,579	2,902
99. Buena Vista (34)	6,300	5,214	4,335	4,002	3,911	3,245	2,388	1,044
100. Charlottesville (1)	29,427	25,969	19,400	15,245	10,688	6,765	6,449	5,591
101. Chesapeake (18,40,41)	73,647	110,371	43,866	37,939	57,358	52,744	50,780	28,899
102. Clifton Forge (3,4)	5,268	5,795	6,461	6,839	6,164	5,748	3,579	1,792
103. Colonial Heights (14)	9,587	6,077	3,194	2,331	--	--	--	--
104. Covington (2)	11,062	5,860	6,300	6,538	5,623	4,234	2,950	704
105. Danville (30)	46,577	35,066	32,749	22,247	21,539	19,020	16,520	10,305
106. Emporia (24)	5,535	5,664	2,735	2,144	1,869	2,018	1,027	1,088
107. Fairfax (8)	13,585	1,946	979	640	516	413	373	NA
108. Falls Church (7)	10,192	7,535	2,576	1,469	1,370	947	889	792
109. Franklin (37)	7,264	4,670	3,466	2,930	2,363	2,271	1,143	875
110. Fredericksburg (38)	13,639	12,158	10,006	6,819	5,882	5,874	5,068	4,528

1880	1870	1860	1850	1840	1830	1820	1810	1800	1790	
10,562	8,670	8,854	9,331	8,107	9,236	8,490	8,381	8,322	--	56
7,501	6,200	7,091	6,714	7,442	7,664	6,920	4,227	5,806	--	57
24,610	21,318	20,096	20,630	20,724	20,477	19,786	18,453	17,008	14,733	58
6,252	4,981	4,364	4,394	4,392	4,122	4,057	4,414	4,203	4,140	59
16,693	12,556	10,617	8,359	7,405	12,306	8,733	8,409	9,044	13,228	60
16,536	13,898	13,015	12,758	12,287	11,254	10,137	9,684	--	--	61
5,515	4,781	5,884	6,064	6,230	6,458	6,630	6,478	6,363	6,239	62
9,152	8,046	7,832	7,498	7,715	8,641	7,705	7,474	6,763	6,889	63
7,929	6,863	7,531	7,346	7,924	7,953	8,016	8,308	7,803	9,163	64
11,156	9,291	8,836	8,437	9,719	10,130	9,656	9,278	9,401	--	65
13,052	10,396	10,851	10,067	9,125	14,637	12,880	12,323	11,449	9,921	66
9,965	8,462	8,109	7,600	6,194	--	--	--	--	--	67
12,833	10,161	9,359	9,609	8,032	7,395	5,089	4,695	4,331	--	68
45,063	27,880	32,104	27,282	26,398	26,034	21,323	17,172	12,697	11,579	69
7,817	7,667	8,392	8,178	7,924	8,517	8,292	8,073	7,769	6,822	70
14,668	12,004	11,844	11,857	14,069	14,107	12,577	12,409	10,962	8,100	71
8,861	7,820	8,411	7,596	7,175	8,367	8,030	8,050	7,425	8,173	72
8,819	7,504	8,565	8,129	8,144	9,330	9,419	11,311	12,733	11,615	73
8,755	6,538	5,416	5,118	3,739	--	--	--	--	--	74
9,291	8,261	8,850	9,782	9,257	--	--	--	--	--	75
7,195	6,503	6,856	6,448	5,965	6,055	5,706	6,214	13,744	6,985	76
10,677	7,995	7,436	8,477	5,499	--	--	--	--	--	77
17,232	13,185	15,113	14,302	14,284	14,244	11,945	10,318	8,945	6,548	78
26,736	21,632	22,385	20,294	17,344	20,683	14,784	12,753	10,374	7,449	79
13,906	11,103	10,280	11,919	7,878	6,714	5,536	6,319	4,808	3,338	80
17,233	13,036	12,072	9,829	7,303	5,724	4,263	--	--	--	81
18,204	14,936	13,896	13,768	11,618	19,750	18,926	13,646	13,823	10,510	82
12,160	8,898	8,952	8,162	6,522	--	--	--	--	--	83
17,535	12,285	12,915	13,521	14,525	16,074	14,170	13,497	13,925	12,864	84
9,818	7,682	11,054	10,850	11,187	11,826	14,254	13,296	13,002	11,252	85
7,211	6,420	8,555	8,044	8,454	9,362	9,517	9,830	9,971	9,588	86
7,391	5,585	6,133	5,679	6,480	7,109	6,594	6,855	6,535	6,227	87
10,062	7,885	10,175	9,820	11,229	12,720	11,884	11,362	11,062	10,549	88
12,861	10,791	9,920	9,942	6,290	5,749	3,916	3,007	2,127	--	89
7,399	5,716	6,442	6,607	5,627	--	--	--	--	--	90
23,641	16,816	16,892	14,612	13,001	15,614	12,444	12,156	9,536	5,625	91
8,846	7,682	8,282	8,080	8,019	8,396	6,901	8,102	NA	7,722	92
7,772	4,785	4,508	---	---	---	--	--	--	--	93
14,318	11,611	12,305	12,024	9,375	12,163	9,692	8,356	6,380	--	94
7,349	7,198	4,949	4,460	4,720	5,354	4,384	5,187	3,231	5,233	95
13,659	13,570	12,652	8,734	8,459	8,241	8,218	7,227	4,971	2,748	96
2,191	1,208	722	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	97
1,562	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	98
--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	99
2,676	2,838	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	100
25,301	16,883	12,111	10,084	10,172	14,992	15,458	13,679	12,493	11,565	101
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--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	103
436	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	104
7,526	3,463	NA	1,514	--	--	--	--	--	--	105
322	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	106
376	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	107
560	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	108
477	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	109
5,010	4,046	5,022	4,061	3,974	3,308	--	--	--	--	110

Table 3. (continued)

	1960	1950	1940	1930	1920	1910	1900	1890
111. Galax (13)	5,254	5,248	3,195	2,544	1,250	755	--	--
112. Hampton (21)	89,258	60,994	38,181	26,217	25,249	21,225	19,460	16,168
113. Harrisonburg (36)	11,916	10,810	8,768	7,232	5,875	4,879	3,521	2,792
114. Hopewell	17,895	10,219	8,679	11,327	1,397	--	--	--
115. Lexington (35)	7,537	5,976	3,914	3,752	2,870	2,931	3,203	3,059
116. Lynchburg (12)	54,790	47,727	44,541	40,661	30,070	29,494	18,891	19,709
117. Manassas (31)	3,555	1,804	1,302	1,215	1,305	1,217	817	530
118. Manassas Park (43)	5,342	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
119. Martinsville (27)	18,798	17,251	10,080	7,705	4,075	3,368	2,384	NA
120. Newport News (20)	113,662	82,233	46,315	43,246	47,013	26,246	24,523	6,650
121. Norfolk (41)	304,869	213,513	144,332	129,710	115,777	67,452	46,624	34,871
122. Norton (42)	5,013	4,315	4,006	3,077	3,068	1,866	654	--
123. Petersburg (16)	36,750	35,054	30,631	28,464	31,012	24,127	21,810	22,680
124. Poquoson (44)	4,278	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
125. Portsmouth (40)	114,773	80,039	50,745	45,704	54,387	33,190	17,427	13,268
126. Radford (29)	9,371	9,026	6,990	6,227	4,627	4,202	3,344	2,060
127. Richmond (15,26)	219,958	230,310	193,042	182,929	171,667	127,628	85,050	81,388
128. Roanoke (32)	97,110	91,921	69,287	69,206	50,842	34,874	21,495	16,159
129. Salem (33)	16,058	6,823	5,737	4,833	4,159	3,849	3,412	3,279
130. South Boston (25)	5,974	6,057	5,252	4,841	4,338	3,516	1,851	1,789
131. Staunton (9)	22,232	19,927	13,337	11,990	10,623	10,604	7,289	6,975
132. Suffolk (19)	43,975	37,577	34,114	32,801	29,322	26,886	23,078	19,692
133. Virginia Beach (22)	85,218	47,667	22,584	16,282	13,626	11,526	11,192	9,510
134. Waynesboro (10)	15,694	12,357	7,373	6,226	3,806	3,021	2,126	646
135. Williamsburg (28)	6,832	6,735	3,942	3,778	2,462	2,714	2,044	1,831
136. Winchester (23)	15,110	13,841	12,095	10,855	6,883	5,864	5,161	5,196

(1) Data for Charlottesville City for 1870-1890 have been subtracted from the totals for Albemarle County.

(2) Data for Covington City for 1880-1950 have been subtracted from the totals for Alleghaney County.

(3) Data for Clifton Forge City for 1890-1900 have been subtracted from the totals for Alleghaney County.

(4) Clifton Forge City became independent in 1906, formed by the merger of Clifton Forge Town and West Clifton Forge Town. Population totals for 1900 represent the sum of both towns, while the 1890 total is just for Clifton Forge Town.

(5) Amelia and Nottoway Counties reported together and were credited to Amelia County in the 1790 census.

(6) In 1920 Alexandria County changed names to Arlington County. Data listed for Arlington County prior to 1920 are for Alexandria County. Data for Alexandria City for 1800-1890 have been subtracted from the totals for Alexandria County. In the 1790 census Alexandria City is listed, but Alexandria County is not. Alexandria County was enumerated as part of Washington, D.C. from 1791-1846. In the 1860 census the identical population of 12,652 was listed for both Alexandria County and City. This figure has been used as the population of Alexandria City, and the County's population listed as not available.

(7) Falls Church Town was originally divided between Fairfax and Alexandria Counties. That part in Alexandria disincorporated in 1936 and detached from the part in Fairfax County. The part in Fairfax County became an independent city in 1948. Data listed for Falls Church City prior to 1950 refer only to the Fairfax County portion, and these totals have been subtracted from the Fairfax County totals for 1880-1940. The population of the Falls Church segment in Alexandria/Arlington County (not listed separately in the table) was: 1900, 118; 1910, 181; 1920, 289; 1930, 550.

1880	1870	1860	1850	1840	1830	1820	1810	1800	1790	
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10,689	8,303	5,798	4,586	3,706	5,053	3,789	3,608	2,778	3,450	112
2,831	2,036	1,023	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	113
--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	114
2,771	2,873	2,135	1,743	--	--	--	--	--	--	115
15,959	6,825	6,853	8,071	6,395	4,630	--	--	--	--	116
361	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	117
--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	118
289	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	119
2,258	1,672	1,740	1,546	1,456	1,570	1,608	1,835	1,659	1,690	120
21,966	19,229	14,620	14,326	10,920	9,814	8,478	9,193	6,926	2,959	121
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21,656	18,950	18,266	14,010	11,136	8,322	6,690	5,668	3,521	2,828	123
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11,390	10,590	9,496	8,626	6,477	--	--	--	--	--	125
--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	126
63,600	51,038	37,910	27,570	20,153	16,060	12,067	9,736	5,737	3,761	127
669	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	128
1,759	1,355	612	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	129
328	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	130
6,664	5,120	3,875	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	131
15,903	11,576	13,693	12,283	10,795	11,784	10,494	10,324	11,127	9,010	132
9,394	8,273	7,714	7,669	7,285	9,102	8,768	9,498	8,859	7,793	133
484	536	457	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	134
1,480	1,392	1,111	877	NA	NA	1,402	--	--	--	135
4,958	4,477	4,392	3,857	3,454	--	--	--	--	--	136

(8) In the 1890 census data for Fairfax City was not returned separately from Fairfax County. Data for Fairfax City for 1880, and 1900-1960 have been subtracted from the totals for Fairfax County.

(9) Data for Staunton City for 1860-1890 have been subtracted from the totals for Augusta County.

(10) In 1923 Waynesboro Town and Basic City Town consolidated to form Waynesboro City. Data listed for Waynesboro City for 1900-1920 includes the population of Basic City Town. Data for Waynesboro City for 1860-1940 have been subtracted from the totals for Augusta County.

(11) Between 1880 and 1890 Liberty Town changed names to Bedford Town. Data listed for Bedford City for 1860-1880 are for Liberty Town; data for 1890 and subsequent years are for Bedford City. Data for Bedford City for 1860-1960 have been subtracted from the totals for Bedford County.

(12) Data for Lynchburg City for 1830-1890 have been subtracted from the totals for Campbell County.

(13) Data for Galax City for 1910-1950 have been subtracted from the totals for Carroll and Grayson Counties. The population removed from Carroll County was: 1910, 122; 1920, 363, 1930, 951; 1940, 1,390; 1950, 2,603. The population removed from Grayson County was: 1910, 633; 1920, 887; 1930, 1,593; 1940, 1,805; 1950, 2,645.

(14) Data for Colonial Heights City for 1930-1940 have been subtracted from the totals for Chesterfield County.

(15) Between 1890 and 1900 Manchester City (in Chesterfield County) became independent. In 1910 the entire city was annexed by Richmond City and ceased to exist as a separate entity. The population of Manchester City from 1860-1890 has been left in the Chesterfield County totals. The 1900 census enumeration for the independent city (9,715) is not included in the population of Chesterfield County, nor does it appear elsewhere in the table.

Table 3. (continued)

(16) In the censuses of 1790-1870 Petersburg City was enumerated as a part of Dinwiddie County, and its population has been subtracted from the Dinwiddie County totals for those years. In the 1880 census Petersburg City was enumerated as lying in three counties: Dinwiddie (19,151), Chesterfield (1,312), and Prince George (1,193), and these totals have been subtracted from their respective county totals.

(17) Richmond and Westmoreland Counties reported together and credited to Richmond County in the 1800 census.

(18) Data for Norfolk County and South Norfolk City combined and listed as Chesapeake City.

(19) Data for Suffolk City includes data for Nansemond County/City.

(20) Data for Warwick County combined with, and listed as Newport News City.

(21) Data for Elizabeth City County combined with, and listed as Hampton City.

(22) Data For Princess Anne County combined with, and listed as Virginia Beach City.

(23) Data for Winchester City for 1840-1890 have been subtracted from the totals for Frederick County.

(24) Emporia Town first appears in the 1900 census, and was formed by the merger of Belfield and Hicksford Villages. Data entered for Emporia City in 1890 and 1880 reflects the total population of both villages in 1890, and just the population of Hicksford village in 1880. Data for Emporia City for 1880-1960 have been subtracted from the totals for Greensville County.

(25) Data for South Boston City for 1880-1950 have been subtracted from the totals for Halifax County.

(26) Data for Richmond City for 1790-1890 have been subtracted from the totals for Henrico County.

(27) In the 1890 census data for Martinsville City was not separately returned from the Martinsville magisterial district. Data for Martinsville City for 1880 and 1900-1920 have been subtracted from the totals for Henry County.

(28) Data for Williamsburg City for 1820, 1850-1890, and 1910-1920 have been subtracted from the totals for James City County.

(29) Data for Radford City for 1890 have been subtracted from the total for Montgomery County.

(30) In the 1860 census data for Danville City was not separately returned from Pittsylvania County. Data for Danville City for 1850 and 1870-1890 have been subtracted from the totals for Pittsylvania County.

(31) Data for Manassas City for 1880-1960 have been subtracted from the totals for Prince William County.

(32) Between 1880 and 1890 Big Lick Town changed names to Roanoke City. Data for Roanoke City for 1880-1890 have been subtracted from the totals for Roanoke County.

(33) Data for Salem City for 1860-1960 have been subtracted from the totals for Roanoke County.

(34) Data for Buena Vista City for 1890 have been subtracted from the total for Rockbridge County.

(35) Data for Lexington City for 1850-1960 have been subtracted from the totals for Rockbridge County.

(36) Data for Harrisonburg City for 1860-1910 have been subtracted from the totals for Rockingham County.

(37) Data for Franklin City for 1880-1960 have been subtracted from the totals for Southampton County.

(38) Data for Fredericksburg City for 1830-1890 have been subtracted from the totals for Spotsylvania County.

(39) Between 1880 and 1890 Goodson Town changed names to Bristol City. The population totals listed for Bristol City refer only to that portion in Virginia. Data for Bristol City for 1880-1890 have been subtracted from the totals for Washington County.

(40) Data for Portsmouth City for 1840-1890 have been subtracted from the totals for Chesapeake City. During this time period Portsmouth City was included in the totals for Norfolk County, which later merged with South Norfolk City to form Chesapeake City.

(41) Data for Norfolk City for 1790-1890 have been subtracted from the totals for Chesapeake City.

(42) Data for Norton City for 1900-1950 have been subtracted from the totals for Wise County.

(43) Data for Manassas Park City for 1960 have been subtracted from the total for Prince William County.

(44) Data for Poquoson City for 1960 have been subtracted from the total for York County.

Appendix I.

In preparing the series of 1971-1979 intercensal estimates presented in Table 1, the following algebraic formula was used:

$$A = B \times [(10-T) \times (E80) + (T) \times (C80)] / (10) \times (E80),$$ where

A = the revised intercensal estimate for year X,

B = the original intercensal estimate for year X,

T = the number of years between the 1970 census and year X,

E80 = the original estimate for 1980, and

C80 = the decennial census count for 1980.

The effect of using this formula is to allocate a greater proportion of the total error to those intercensal estimates close to 1980, and a smaller proportion to those estimates close to 1970. Also, the greater the original intercensal estimate, the larger will be its numeric correction.

Appendix II.

In calculating annual growth rates an exponential growth formula is recommended. This formula takes growth as occurring as a form of continuous compound interest, i.e., a constant rate of change is applied at every instant of time. The formula is:

r (the annual rate of change, expressed as a percent) =

$100 \times [\log (P_n / P_o) / n \times .4342945]$, where

P_n = the population at the end of the time period,

P_o = the initial population, and

n = the time between P_o and P_n, measured in years.

For convenience, we may take the censuses of 1790-1820 as being conducted on August 1, the censuses of 1830-1900 on June 1, the census of 1910 on April 15, the census of 1920 on January 1, and the censuses of 1930-1980 on April 1. Because of the different months in which different censuses were conducted it is most often the case that n in the above formula will not be an even number of years. For example, between the censuses of 1790 and 1980 there are 2,276 months, or 189.67 years.

As an example of the use of this formula, we can calculate the annual growth rate for Alexandria City over the period 1790-1980 as follows:

$r = 100 \times [\log (103,217/2,748) / 189.67 \times .4342945]$

$r = 100 \times [\log 37.56077 / 82.3726]$

$r = 100 \times [1.57473 / 82.3726]$

$r = 100 \times [0.019117]$

$r = 1.9\%$

In Chart A on the following page this formula has been used to calculate the average annual growth rate for each locality, from it's first appearance in the census through 1980. With a few exceptions these growth rates are all positive, and with the further exception of several cities with very high rates of growth, most are under one percent (counties) and under three percent (independent cities). If these numbers seem low, remember that they represent annual change over long periods of time. Also, note that an annual growth rate of one percent will produce a doubling of the initial population in approximately seventy years; a two percent annual rate will double the population in 35 years; and a five percent rate will double the population in only 14 years.

Chart A.
Annual Growth Rates for Virginia Localities, Earliest Census to 1980

Locality	Date of Earliest Census	Annual Growth Rate to 1980
Counties:		
Accomack	1790	0.43%
Albemarle	1790	0.79
Alleghany	1830	1.09
Amelia	1790	-0.40
Amherst	1790	0.40
Appomattox	1850	0.20
Arlington	1800	2.81
Augusta	1790	0.84
Bath	1800	0.03
Bedford	1790	0.63
Bland	1870	0.42
Botetourt	1790	0.42
Brunswick	1790	0.10
Buchanan	1860	2.18
Buckingham	1790	0.10
Campbell	1790	0.94
Caroline	1790	0.01
Carroll	1850	1.18
Charles City	1790	0.10
Charlotte	1790	0.10
Chesterfield	1790	1.21
Clarke	1840	0.32
Craig	1860	0.09
Culpeper	1790	0.01
Cumberland	1790	-0.02
Dickenson	1890	1.52
Dinwiddie	1790	0.37
Essex	1790	-0.02
Fairfax	1790	2.05
Fauquier	1790	0.37
Floyd	1840	0.68
Fluvanna	1790	0.51
Franklin	1790	0.87
Frederick	1790	0.29
Giles	1810	0.92
Gloucester	1790	0.21
Goochland	1790	0.14
Grayson	1800	0.80
Greene	1840	0.42
Greensville	1790	0.28

Chart A. (continued)

Locality	Date of Earliest Census	Annual Growth Rate to 1980
Halifax	1790	0.39
Hanover	1790	0.65
Henrico	1790	1.63
Henry	1790	1.01
Highland	1850	-0.28
Isle of Wight	1790	0.46
James City	1790	0.91
King and Queen	1790	-0.24
King George	1790	0.19
King William	1790	0.07
Lancaster	1790	0.31
Lee	1800	1.11
Loudoun	1790	0.58
Louisa	1790	0.39
Lunenburg	1790	0.16
Madison	1800	0.11
Mathews	1800	0.18
Mecklenburg	1790	0.37
Middlesex	1790	0.33
Montgomery	1790	0.83
Nelson	1810	0.14
New Kent	1790	0.18
Northampton	1790	0.40
Northumberland	1790	0.04
Nottoway	1800	0.25
Orange	1790	0.32
Page	1840	0.82
Patrick	1800	0.78
Pittyslvania	1790	0.92
Powhatan	1790	0.34
Prince Edward	1790	0.37
Prince George	1790	0.60
Prince William	1790	1.33
Pulaski	1840	1.60
Rappahannock	1840	-0.30
Richmond	1790	-0.00
Roanoke	1840	1.85
Rockbridge	1790	0.53
Rockingham	1790	1.07
Russell	1790	1.19

Chart A. (continued)

Locality	Date of Earliest Census	Annual Growth Rate to 1980
Scott	1820	1.11
Shenandoah	1790	0.51
Smyth	1840	1.17
Southampton	1790	0.20
Spotsylvania	1790	0.59
Stafford	1790	0.76
Surry	1790	-0.02
Sussex	1790	0.02
Tazewell	1800	1.76
Warren	1840	0.95
Washington	1790	1.11
Westmoreland	1790	0.32
Wise	1860	1.90
Wythe	1800	1.28
York	1790	1.01
Cities:		
Alexandria	1790	1.91
Bedford	1860	1.77
Bristol	1880	2.50
Buena Vista	1890	2.07
Charlottesville	1870	2.41
Chesapeake	1790	1.21
Clifton Forge	1890	1.15
Colonial Heights	1930	3.92
Covington	1880	3.04
Danville	1850	2.62
Emporia	1880	2.71
Fairfax	1880	3.95
Falls Church	1880	2.67
Franklin	1880	2.73
Fredericksburg	1830	1.02
Galax	1910	3.08
Hampton	1790	1.21
Harrisonburg	1860	2.47
Hopewell	1920	4.68
Lexington	1850	1.10
Lynchburg	1830	1.78
Manassas	1880	3.76
Manassas Park	1960	1.00
Martinsville	1880	4.15
Newport News	1790	2.35

Chart A. (continued)

Locality	Date of Earliest Census	Annual Growth Rate to 1980
Norfolk	1790	2.37
Norton	1900	2.49
Petersburg	1790	1.41
Poquoson	1960	3.56
Portsmouth	1840	1.99
Radford	1890	2.07
Richmond	1790	2.14
Roanoke	1880	5.02
Salem	1860	3.06
South Boston	1880	3.08
Staunton	1860	1.44
Suffolk	1790	0.88
Virginia Beach	1790	1.85
Waynesboro	1860	2.93
Williamsburg	1820	1.22
Winchester	1840	1.26